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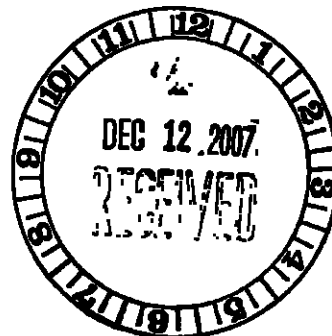
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The Honorable Vernon A. Williams
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Re Finance Docket No. 35087, Canadian National Railway Company and Grand Trunk Corporation - Control -
FJ&E West Company

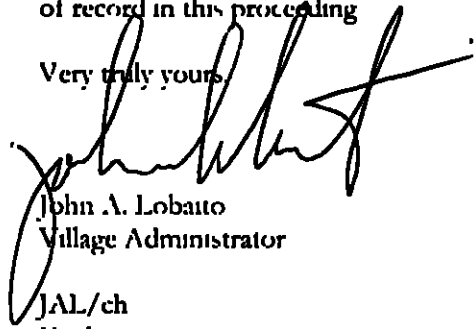
Dear Secretary Williams:

Please accept this letter as a notice that the Village of Mundelein (hereafter the "Village") intends to participate in the above referenced proceeding as a Party of Record. As Village Administrator, I request to be added to the service list and receive copies of all motions, pleadings, correspondence and any other filings made in connection with the above referenced proceeding. As a matter of information, the EJ&E Railroad line passes through the Village of Mundelein.

At the present time we are aware of two significant issues that the above referenced matter raises that might impact on the Village. The first issue is that the proposed acquisition could negatively impact commercial and commuter vehicular traffic on Illinois Route 60/83. The second issue is that the diversion of trains from the Canadian National line to the FJ&E lines, now estimated to be 15 trains per day, will adversely affect the safety at this crossing and will have a serious negative environmental impact to the area. The proposed acquisition could cause negative environmental effects that should be studied carefully.

I am attaching a certificate certifying that I have caused this Notice of Intent to Participate to be served on the parties of record in this proceeding.

Very truly yours,


John A. Lobatto
Village Administrator

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Enclosures

cc Representative Melissa Bean, 8th Congressional District
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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